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SUBJECT: UNDP ADMINISTRATOR'S DISCUSSIONS IN VIENNA ON POSSIBLE
CONTRIBUTIONS FROM OPEC FUND

1. WE HAD AN OPPORTUNITY TO TALK WITH GEORGE SADDLER, WHO
ACCOMPANIED MORSE ON HIS VISIT TO VIENNA EARLIER THIS WEEK
TO EXPLORE DURING OPEC FINANCE MINISTERS' MEETING POSSIBIL-
ITIES OF OPEC FUND CONTRIBUTIONS TO UNDP.

2. ACCORDING TO SADDLER, IT LOOKED, AFTER EXTENSIVE DIS-
CUSSIONS WITH OPEC MINISTERS, AS THOUGH THEY WOULD BE PRE-
PARED TO MAKE SOME \$20 MILLION AVAILABLE FROM NEW MONIES
BEING EARMARKED FOR THE OPEC FUND. HOWEVER, SADDLER WAS
NOT OPTIMISTIC THAT SUCH CONTRIBUTIONS WOULD BE MADE TO
THE GENERAL UNDP FUND. HE NOTED THAT THE DIRECTOR OF THE
OPEC FUND - SHIHATA - WAS INSISTENT ON SOMEHOW MAINTAINING
THE IDENTITY OF SUCH OPEC CONTRIBUTION, PERHAPS BY USING
IT FOR JOINT FINANCING OF PROJECTS WITH UNDP. SADDLER
SAID THAT A PITCH BY MORSE TO HAVE THE OPEC CONTRIBUTION
SIMPLY MARKED FOR THE UNDP PROGRAM TO ASSIST THE LEAST
DEVELOPED COUNTRIES DID NOT SEEM TO AROUSE SHIHATA'S INTEREST.

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SADDLER SAID THAT IN ANY CASE, MORE DISCUSSION WAS REQUIRED
BEFORE THE DETAILS OF HOW ANY CONTRIBUTION MIGHT BE
UTILIZED BECAME CLEAR. STIBRAVY

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